

ReadMeFile – CEDAW ROCS – Kreutzer

These files include data and estimation code for:

Willow Kreutzer. Introducing the CEDAW ROCS Dataset: A dataset on the United Nations Treaty the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination Against Women – Reservations and Objections of Committed States. Foreign Policy Analysis. 2024

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INCLUDED:

5 STATA Datasets:

CEDAW_ROCS_DATASET.dta

This is the final version of the dataset.

This is the dataset that creates the tables in the research note.

WB_countries_Admin0_10m_ccode.dta

This is one of the datasets that helps create the CEDAW commitment map in the research note.

WB_countries_Admin0_10m_shp.dta

This is one of the datasets that helps create the CEDAW commitment map in the research note.

CEDAW_Reservation_Removal_DataONLY2021.dta

This is one of the datasets that helps create the CEDAW commitment map in the research note.

CEDAW_CIRI_DATA_10232023.dta

This is the dataset that creates the time series graphs in the research note.

1 STATA do File:

CEDAW_ROCS_Dataset.do

The file used to create all the tables and graphs in the research note.

1 Excel File:

CEDAW_ROCS_Dataset.xlsx

This is the final version of the dataset.

There are two sheets in the Excel file, the first has article reservations, and the second has objections.

1 Read Me File:

READMEFile-CEDAWROCS.pdf

Describes the included data and files

1 Codebook:

CEDAW ROCS Codebook.pdf

Describes the coding mechanisms, decisions, and variables for the CEDAW ROCS dataset.

Notes:

1. The CEDAW ROCS data set was hand-coded by Dr. Willow Kreutzer, Dr. Sara Mitchell, and two research assistants Payton Riley, and Caleb Slater.
2. The two other datasets were pulled from a previous paper Kreutzer and Mitchell 2024, and the other was created for the map. I do not include all of the constitutive data sets to recreate it these other datasets from scratch. The inclusion of the files is intended to clarify my coding decisions, variable creation, or variable modification schemes. The data set included here has only the relevant variables for replicating my results discussed in the research note.
3. The programs are written for STATA version 19, though they may run in previous versions.

Variables:

Here are the descriptions for all the variables included in the CEDAW ROCS dataset. See the research article for additional details.

Observations: 8,081

Variables: 95

Variable name	Storage type	Display format	Value label
ccode	int	%10.0g	COW Country Code
year	int	%10.0g	year
abbrev	str3	%9s	COW Alpha Country Code
objection1	byte	%10.0g	Objection 1
ccodeobj1	int	%10.0g	Country Objected To 1
objart1_1	byte	%10.0g	First Objection, First Article Objected To
objart1_2	byte	%10.0g	First Objection, Second Article Objected To
objart1_3	byte	%10.0g	First Objection, Third Article Objected To
objart1_4	byte	%10.0g	First Objection, Fourth Article Objected To
objart1_5	byte	%10.0g	First Objection, Fifth Article Objected To
objart1_6	byte	%10.0g	First Objection, Sixth Article Objected To
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objart2_5	byte	%10.0g	Second Objection, Fifth Article Objected To
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objart6_2	byte	%10.0g	Sixth Objection, Second Article Objected To
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objart9_3	byte	%10.0g	Ninth Objection, Third Article Objected To
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cedawsig	byte	%10.0g	CEDAW Signature
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declarations	byte	%10.0g	State Declarations
partial	byte	%10.0g	Partial Reservation Withdrawal